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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS & FERTILIZERS
DEPARTMENT OF PHARMACEUTICALS

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A Wing, Shastri Bhavan,
New Delhi-110 001.

Subject: Review application of Ajanta Pharma Limited against fixation of retail price of Brinzolamide IP 1.0 & Timolol Maleate 0.5% Eye Drops vide NPPA notification S.O. No. 5638(E), dated 02.11.2018 issued under the Drugs (Prices Control) Order, 2013.

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1. This is an order on an application filed by Ajanta Pharma Limited (hereinafter called the applicant) on 02.01.2019 under paragraph 31 of the Drugs (Prices Control) Order, 2013 (hereinafter called the DPCO) against order S.O. No. 5638(E), dated 02.11.2018 issued by the National Pharmaceutical Pricing Authority (hereinafter called the NPPA) fixing the retail price of Brinzolamide IP 1.0 & Timolol Maleate 0.5% Eye Drops.

2. The applicant has mentioned in the review application that it had written to NPPA vide its letter No.APL/NPPA/18-19/11, dated 5.11.2018. Therefore, it can be concluded that it came to know about the order before 05.11.2018. However, the applicant has filed the review application in the Department of Pharmaceuticals on 02.01.2019, that is, about two months after the receipt of the price notification.

3. Any review application under paragraph 31 of the DPCO has to be submitted within 30 days of the receipt of the order against which review is sought. As the application has not been submitted within the time limit prescribed in paragraph 31 of the DPCO, the same is rejected.

Issued on this, the 04th day of February, 2019.

(M.K. Bhardwaj)
Deputy Secretary
For and on behalf of the President of India

Copy to :

1. Ajanta Pharma Limited, Ajanta House, Charkop, Kandivli (West), Mumbai-400 067.
2. The Member Secretary, National Pharmaceutical Pricing Authority, YMCA Cultural Centre Building, New Delhi-110001.
3. PS to Hon'ble Minister (C&F), Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi for information.
4. PS to MoS (C&F), Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi for information.
5. PSO to Secretary(Pharma), Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi for information.
6. T.D., NIC for uploading the order on Department's Website.